GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1640
ANSWERED ON:28.11.2002
SUPPLY OF CLEAN FUEL TO HYDERABAD
M. JAGANNATH

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Andhra Pradesh has urged to include Hyderabad as one of the metro cities where only fuels with sulphur content of less than 0.1% and benzene levels of 1% and below are supplied;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether his Ministry has entered into any understanding with Hyderabad Urban Development Authority to control vehicular pollution in tune with the suggestion to have clean fuel; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (d): No, Sir. However, on the request of Government of Andhra Pradesh, Government of India have decided to supply petrol and diesel only with 0.05% maximum sulphur content from all the retail outlets in the urban agglomeration of Hyderabad/Secundrabad from 16th December 2002.